



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT
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In re Application of

Afzali-Ardakani et al.

Serial Number

08/118,475

Filing Date

September 7, 1993

Examiner

Gregory R. Del Cotto

Group Art Unit

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For

ELECTRICALLY CONDUCTIVE
POLYMERIC MATERIALS AND
USE THEREOF

TO: The Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 25, 1996 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-17.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. [x] The time for response to the Office Action of April 15, 1996 expires on October 25, 1996.

2. [x] A one (1) month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated April 15, 1995 was filed on August 18, 1995 with a fee of \$110.00. An Advisory action dated September 11, 1996 has been received as of the date of filing this appeal. A supplementary fee covering an extension of time of two additional months is required. The enclosed check in the amount of \$1130.00 covers the \$820.00 fee due on a three month extension.

3. [x] Applicants hereby request an extension of time of a full three month(s) of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of April 15, 1996.



A check in the amount of \$820.00 in payment of the government fee for a full three month extension of time of \$930.00 is enclosed herewith. A prior amendment was filed within one month with an accompanying fee of \$110.00 thus making a total payment for three months of \$930.00.

4. [x] A check for \$300.00 in payment of the Appeal Fee

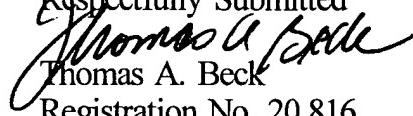
[x] is enclosed herewith (i.e. \$300.00/\$1120)

[] No additional fee is required (fee paid in prior appeal).

[] Charge the fee to Deposit Account 02-1651 (one additional copy of this Notice is enclosed herewith.)

5. [x] Charge any additional fee required, for example, for lodging this appeal or for filing the Appeal Brief not otherwise by check, to Deposit Account No. 02-1651. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted


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Dated: October 15, 1995

I hereby certify that this Notice of Appeal
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